House Resolution No. 1350

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State teachers who admirably ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Jana Kay Scott of Jackson, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a kindergarten teacher at South Elementary School in the Jackson School District; and

Whereas, on April 3, 2008, Jana Scott will enhance her already impressive record of achievement when she is presented with an Educator of the Year 2008 award in the Elementary Teacher category from the Jackson Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, an educator for sixteen years, Jana Scott taught in Poplar Bluff before shifting to Jackson schools in 2000; and

Whereas, Jana Scott prepared for excellence in her chosen field of endeavor by earning a Bachelor of Science in Education degree from Missouri State University and a Master's degree in elementary education at Southeast Missouri State University; and

Whereas, in addition to her classroom activities, Jana Scott is a new teacher mentor, member of the Professional Learning Communities committee, and facilitator for Project Construct National Center in Columbia, Missouri; and

Whereas, Jana Scott is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved wife of Darrin Scott and the loving mother of McKinzie, Madison, and Quinn; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative actions in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri teachers as Jana Scott at momentous times in their lives:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Jana Scott as one of five Educators of the Year 2008 by the Jackson Chamber of Commerce and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Jana Kay Scott of Jackson, Missouri.

Offered by

Representative Scott A. Lipke
District No. 157

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1350, adopted March 31, 2008.